

I urge you to deny NAB's petition 04-160. It is unreasonable for radio and TV to limit satellite radio's ability to offer traffic and weather information. This is particularly useful to satellite radio users, such as myself, when travelling to other metro areas wherein I have no familiarly the stations, whether they offer weather and traffic news and, if so, at what times. The satellite radio weather offerings are not only convenient, AND also a safety feature, as I then don't have to aimlessly hunt for a radio station offering either while I'm driving. Please just tell the local stations to serve their local audience and let the satellite radio firms serve their audience unfettered by unnecessarily protective federal regulations.

Thank you